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## HUMPHREY OFFERS SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

Compromise Measure Said to Have Support of the President.

### PROVIDES BONUSES FOR MAIL CARRIERS

Washington Representative Declares Conditions on Pacific Ocean Threaten National Peace.

The administration's ship subsidy bill, known also as the Merchant Marine of them declared, "but we prefer to go League bill, which its author declares home now, and see the Capital some has the backing of the President, was other time

can leaders in the House today express confidence that it will be passed at = this session. The measure was studied by President Taft after he had been shown it by Humphrey several weeks ago, and the Congressman announced at the White House that the President would back the bill.

The bill contains three main features: The payment of mail subsidies, the exaction of a heavier tonnage tax on foreign vessels to American registry for foreign trade only, with the proviso that these ships shall not share in the

to receive the proposed advance in mall floods, and avalanches, according to re-

by the Secretary of the Navy, must be available at all times for the use of the United States and cannot be sold without the written consent of the Secretary of the Navy. They must also there have been no trains on that secretary of the Navy. They must also the twenty-five feet deep block the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad in their court dress, military, and navail between Durango and Silverton, Colo.

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Neither can the 'watch dogs' of the Treasury exercise their lungs, because It is provided that the subsidies cannot mall service on those lines.

One Million a Year.

spring into the National Treasury about \$1,000,000 annually. Foreign ships now carry about 95 per cent of our commerce. They are receiving about \$200,000,000 from the American people for this service and we extend for them in river and harbor improvement \$50,000,000 a year.

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### WEATHER REPORT.

FORECAST FOR THE DISTRICT.
For the District of Columbia increasing cloundiness, followed by snow late tonight or Wednesday, continued cold: minimum temperature tonight about 18 degrees; moderate to brisk northeast

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	SUN TABLE.

### THREE DEPUTIES FREE, THINK CAPITAL IS FINE

Gibson, Mayze, and Padgett Complete Contempt Sentences at District Jail-Leave for Tennessee Tonight. "Didn't Have Such a Bad Time."

Three deputy sheriffs of Chattanooza, fenn., Jeremiah Gibson, William Mayze, and Henry Padgett, to whom fell the doubtful honor of incurring the second sentence for contempt ever imposed by the Supreme Court, stepped from the District jail this morning at 8 o'clock, saw Washington sights and made ready Tenn., Jeremiah Gibson, William Mayze, and Henry Padgett, to whom fell the doubtful honor of incurring the second sentence for contempt ever imposed by the Supreme Court, stepped from the saw Washington sights and made ready to leave for their homes late tonight.
"It was rather lonesome out there, but we didn't have such a bad time make about their stay of two months, less ten days for good behavior, at the

took steps to ascertain the earliest train eaving Washington and found that the 10:10 Southern fiver was the quickest way of getting home.

'Washington is a beautiful city," one

has the backing of the President, was introduced in the House today by Representative Humphrey.

The bill is the result of a compromise between disputing factions which favor the ship subsidy idea. Republican leaders in the House today express

ennessee supreme court, upon appeal, eclared there was no ground for a new declared there was no ground for a new trial, and the case was then reviewed by the Federal judge of the district.

A stay in the execution was granted by the United States Supreme Court, and that decision put the sheriff in a quandry. He had to disregard the orders of the State court to hang the negro or disobey the Supreme Court of the United States. The governor was appealed to, and a stay of execution was granted.

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### WEST IS CRIPPLED BY RAGING STORMS

foreign vessels, and the admission of Eight Lives Lost and Enor- Reception This Evening mous Damage Is Done in Colorado.

America, and Australia, where the out-mous damage has been done through ward voyage is 4,000 miles or more, are the west by snow storms, blizards.

out the Rocky Mountain region are of the word, cosmopolitan. Diplomats by the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad in their court dress, military, and naval spend the winter months. His hear

## gel engaged exclusively in the foreign trade which is flying the American flag. Not a ship now running can take advantage of the provisions of this bill. Neither can the 'watch down's first ladies of the land.

"If the section providing an increase in the tonnage taxes is adopted it will Leon Delagrange, Famous French Aviator, Killed at Bordeaux.

year.

"If the American people knew the facts there would be no opposition to the proposed legislation. On both oceans foreign shipping companies have been formed and are preying on our belagrange's machine tell a distance of the proposed legislation. On both oceans foreign shipping companies have been formed and are preying on our belagrange's machine tell a distance of the proposed legislation.

been formed and are preying on our commerce.

"When the Panana Canal is completely pleted, it will be used almost exclusive-

the Ohio valley, the middie Atlantic and north Atlantic States. Tennessee, and the northern portions of the Gulf States. The temperature is below zero this morning in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont, northern New York, and the Northwestern States.

The temperature will continue low tonight over the northern districts east of the Missussippi River, and it will fall the South Atlantic States. The temperature will moderate somewhat Wednesday in the Lake region and the north Atlantic States.

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## DIPLOMATS FIRST

Opens Social Season at White House.

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five years, 50 per cent of the crew must be Americans.

It is provided that no ship owned by any railroad company or to which any railroad company gives preferential rates, can receive the benefit of the proposed legislation. Explaining his bill, Congressman Humphrey said to-day:

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The Arrangements. Following is the official announcement the arrangements for the reception:

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At the reception tonight, carriages will approach from the morth to the east entrance of the White House, opposite the Treasury. Pedestrians will follow the same route. After discharging passengers carriages will be parked around the Ellipse in the White Lot.

The gates will not be open until 9 o'clock. Two carriages will drive under the porte-cochere at the same time. Coachmen will be provided with numbered checks, which must be preserved by them in order to regain a mittance to the grounds. Guests will also be provided with tickets of the same numbers as their carriages. These they should carefully preserve, in order to call their carriages, which will depart from the same entrance. It is requested that the line of carriages be not delayed by paying for the carriage service at the entrance. Carriages will be called by electric signal.

After leaving cloaks in the cloakroom, guests are requested to fall in line in the colonnade and pass up the main staircase.

The southwest gate will be opened at 9 p. m. Carriages will approach this entrance by Sevententh street.

Will Be In Line.

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## D. J. MILLS' DEATH **POSTPONES WEDDING**

Ambassador Reid to Attend Funeral—Secretary Must Delay Marriage.

DIPLOMAT TO SAIL HOME TOMORROW

William Phillips, Engaged to Wed

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In the night when the stay arrived a phonon out. He was carried to the Tenore out. He was carried to the Tenore out. He was carried to the Tenore out.

nessee river and strung up.

Sheriff Shipp was not in jail when the motor and strung up.
Sheriff Shipp was not in jail when the motor arrived and ne declared he was overpowered when he got there.
An investigation begun by the Department of Justice involved twenty-six members of the mob, the sheriff and his five deput'es. The case against all connected except the sheriff and deputies sheriff was dropped. They were brought to Washington in November and sentenced to the District Jail.

American embassy here, to Miss Caroline Halg.

Ambassador Reid is the son-in-law of Mr. Mills, and the ambassador arranged today to sail for America tomorrow to attend the funeral, which will be delayed until his arrival. The absence of the ambassador makes it necessary for Mr. Phillips to remain in London intil his return. The secretary was to have sailed Saturday for New York, where he was to be married January 17 to Miss Halg.

Ambassador Sails Tomorrow .. Ambassador Reid will sail on the St Louis tomorrow. He will not return for hree weeks, and may be gone longer than that. Phillips must remain on the job until his return,

It is possible that, in the event of prolonged absence of the ambassado arrangements may be made to have the Phillips-Haig wedding here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 4.— The funeral of D. O. Mills, banker and philanthropist of California and New York, who died suddenly last night at The routes from the Pacific coast to
China, Japan, the Philippines, South
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DENVER, Jan. 4.—Eight persons are dead, railroads are blocked and enorgous damage has been done through

# name similar to another corporation do-ing business therein. Another bill is to amend the act mak-ing it a misdemeanor in the District to abandon or willfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance of wife or minor children in destitute cir-cumstances. The proposed amendment would make the law apply to illegiti-mate children as well as legitimate ones.

TIDE TABLE.

High tide today, 2:22 a. m., and 2:45 p. m. Low tide today, 8:52 a. m. and 9:35 p. m. High tide tomorrow, 3:11 a. m. and 2:36 p. m. and 2:30 p. m. Low tide tomorrow, 9:37 a. m. and 10:21 p. m.

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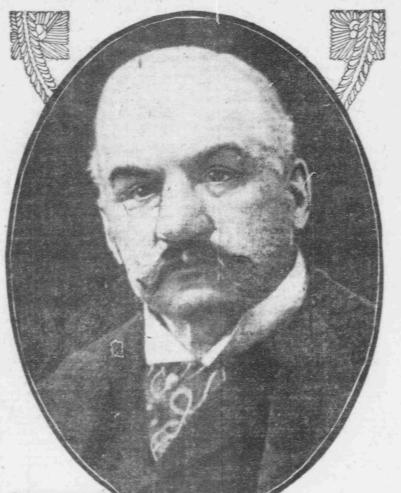
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WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 4.—Matthen miles from here, when passenger train No. 3, on the Louisville and Nashville road from Cincinnati, side-swiped an accommodation train early today.

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The mills have been running fifty-eight bours. Those on piece work are given dation were upset but the Cincinnati train remained on the ralls.

## Figure in Big Trust Deal



J. PIERPONT MORGAN.

Company Combine Startles Wall-Street.

ert catching their breath today and the hands of the Administration. ecovering from the announcement that he J. P. Morgan interests have cap-ured Levi P. Morton's, Morton Trust of New York, was a powerful factor; the Fifth Avenue Trust Company, and treatment of the insurgents was the rethe Guaranty Trust Company, and that sult of suggestions made by Speaker they are to be relegated into oblivion Cannon and his friends. while in their stead is to be erected the new Guaranty Trust Company, the second largest trust company in the world, with a total capitalization of the House who had a heated conference with the Postmaster General this morning quoted the Postmaster General in substance as follows:

LEVI P. MORTON.

Senator Will Introduce

Batch of Measures at To-

morrow's Session.

"What does it all mean?" is the ques-tion that is being asked on all sides. The eclipsing of Ryan has come fast on the revelations in connection with the manipulation of the traction com-panies of New York by Ryan and his associates, and Morgan has in nearly the House. every instance taken over the Ryan

Canary Swallowed.

Other securities pased and finally, by purchasing the Ryan shares in the Morton Trust Company, Morgan was able to manipulate the newly announced.

Canary Swallowed.

Unless the situation is cleared up in the immediate future to the entire satisfaction of the progressives it is probable.

ferred to as the Money King of America, but he never more deserved the fittle than he does at the present moment. Here are the known concrns which he either over the known concrns which he either owns outright or controls through Banks and trust companies and in-

Banks and trust companies and insurance concerns: Equitable Life, \$472,339,508; Equitable Trust Company, \$64,821,509; Mercantile Trust Company, \$64,821,509; Mercantile Trust Company, \$88,474,700; Guaranty Trust Company, \$170,000,000; National Bank, \$120,700,000; National Bank, \$139,621,689; Chase National Bank, \$139,621,689; Chase National Bank, \$130,728,710; Mechanies' National, \$51,334,588.

National Copper Bank, \$40,307,761; Liberty National Bank, \$21,706,004; Bankers Trust Company, \$35,200,900; New York Life, \$194,408,807; National City Bank (Standard Oil Control), \$220,447,971; New York Trust Company, \$65,145,300; Standard Trust Company, \$65,145,300; Standard Trust Company, \$18,550,100.

Morgan Railroads.

Railroad and industrial corporations of which Morgan either owns the giant share of the securities or dictales the partment will take no action in the province.

FOUR ARE INDICTED
BY THE GRAND JURY

Petit Court Sentences Harris to
Pay Fine of
\$1,000.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 4—The
grand jury of the United States Circuit
Court today returned the following in
mails.
Edward T. Beery, for taking a letter
containing a valuable enclosure from the
mails.
Virgle carter, for improper use of the
mails.
Lemuel Crawford, for carrying on a
retail liquor business without paying a
special tax.
Winter W. Harris, for sending im
report matter through the mails.
In the case of Harris, the petit jury
returned a verdict of guilty, and he
was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000.
Totals Ten Billions.
With a total of more than ten billion
dollars in resources in the above companies, Morgan, it is claimed in financial at Atlantas, 32.
Edward T. Beery was placed on \$1,000
ball for his appearance at the next
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policies;
Southern railway, \$446,59,57; Pere
Marquette, \$86,38,90c; Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, \$52,582,50c; International
Harvester Company \$12,50c; Inte

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## PRESSURE APPLIED UPON INSURGENTS BY ADMINISTRATION

Patronage Withheld to Whip Them Into Line, Is Alleged.

CANNON IS URGING THE PRESIDENT ON

Official Admits That Speaker Is Responsible for Treatment Foes Are Receiving.

By WALTER J. FAHY.

Postmaster General Hitchcock, acting, it is believed, on Administration orders, has informed several insurgent members of the House that their recommendations for patronage will not be acted upon at this time.

This action, it was learned today, is due to the fact that the Cannon organization has appealed to President Taft to withhold patronage from the Republican insurgents for the purpose of beating them into line and forcing them to support Speaker Cannon, at least, during the life of the present Congress.

UNDER CONSIDERATION. The President has taken the Cannon proposition under consideration, and while he has not indicated what his ultimate attitude will be the insurgents are already feeling the effects of the Cannon scheme.

Several insurgents have ex-Proposed Gigantic Trust perienced considerable difficulty in the matter of patronage of late particularly in the Postoffice De partment. This gave rise to the rumor that all Republicans who remained outside the Cannon breast-NEW YORK, Jan. 4.-Business circles works could expect no favors at

Out In Open.

Not until today, however, has an Ad-Company, in which Thomas Fortune ministration efficial come out in the Ryan, the dethroned street railway king open and frankly admitted that the

world, with a total capitalization of \$150,with resources of \$150,with resources of \$150,"Mr. Cannon and his friends have oan of the board of the new trust company, but the company will be essentially a Morgan company with all that the insurgents are entitled to no consideration, that that implies. What does it all mean?" is the ques- if they cannot be beaten into line, as

Insurgents Indignant.

Senator Gallinger, chairman of the District Committee, has a large number of bills from the Commissioners which he will introduce tomorrow. They include a bill to prohibit corporations doing business in the District under a name similar to another corporation doing business therein.

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able to manipulate the newly announced deal and today can, if he desires, wear the smile of the cat that swallowed the canary.

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